

In the Specification:

Please amend the title on page 1 as follows:

Inflatable Access Instruments And Methods For Accessing An Anatomic Space

Please amend the “Reference to Related Applications” section on page 1 as follows:

Reference is hereby made to commonly assigned U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/283794 filed October 30, 2002, for METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR ACCESSING AND STABILIZING AN AREA OF THE HEART in the names of Gary W. Guenst et al, U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/284771 filed October 31, 2002, now U.S. Patent No. 6,890,295, for ANATOMIC SPACE ACCESS SUCTION TOOLS AND METHODS in the names of Koen Michels et al, U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/342960 filed January 15, 2003, now U.S. Patent No. 6,786,898, for METHODS AND TOOLS FOR ACCESSING AN ANATOMIC SPACE in the name of Gary W. Guenst, and U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/622147 filed July 17, 2003, now U.S. Patent No. 6,918,908, for METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR ACCESSING AND STABILIZING AN AREA OF THE HEART in the names of Mathew D. Bonner et al.